

Mexican Situation Grows Steadily Worse; Villaistas Interned Along Border.

Precaution.

WHOLESALE ARRESTS
OF BANDITS' FRIENDS.Dragnet by Officials Put Out to Gather
in Dangerous Spies.Elaborate Preparations are Being Taken by Police to
Prevent Prisoners from Getting into Communication
with Outside Parties—Suspects are Being Taken into
Custody Everywhere in Pursuance of Plan.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

EL PASO (Tex.) March 22.—Ar-
rests of Villa supporters and
sympathizers here and at other
points along the border have reached
wholesale proportions.Since the Columbus incident
Villaists in United States territory are
said to have redoubled their efforts
to assist their hunted leader. As a
result authorities other than the military
have used every precaution to
prevent communication being established
between American points and the
mountain district where Villa is
believed to have fled.Against most of the suspects there
is no charge other than that they did not enter the United States in the
manner prescribed by law.The local police today stated that
twenty-two Villaists had been con-
fined in the El Paso City Jail. There
are about two score others held
in the County Prison. In the meantime
steps are being taken to prevent
the smuggling of arms and
ammunition across the border and
hurried here for safe keeping.CO-OPERATE WITH POLICE.
Chief of Police Don Johnson said
that local immigration authorities had
been notified from Washington to co-
operate in every way in making the
border dragnet thorough.Three men from the immigration
office were at once detailed to assist
in gathering evidence against sus-
pects."We are not always proceeding just
according to law," said Chief John-
son. "If we did, we would not ac-
complish anything."

"We are out to keep peace along

the border and Villa's sym-
pathizers from aiding him. Our
soldier boys, dealing with bandits,
do their duty to take extraordinary
precautions."It is reported reliably that all the
activities now stirring here are not
charged to Villa. The police claim
that a certain being made in El
Paso by the supporters of Felix Diaz.
Close surveillance is being kept on
all alleged members of the junta.

Summary.

SIX CATHOLIC PRIESTS
DEPORTED FROM MEXICO.Gen. Calles Declares Clergymen had been Spreading the
Gospel of Strife and Intervention Instead of the Gospel
of God, and Warns Others to Profit by Their Example.
Quiet Prevails in Chihuahua.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

DOUGLAS (Ariz.) March 22.—Six
Catholic priests, who reached
Nogales, Ariz., today from Her-
mosillo, Guaymas and other cities in
Western Sonora, were deported from
Mexico because they have been
spreading the gospel of strife and in-
tervention, instead of the gospel of
God, according to a statement issued
late today by Gen. P. Elias Calles,
military Governor of Sonora, at his
temporary headquarters in Agua Pri-
eta, opposite here.Should the Catholic church desire
to send good priests to Mexico to take
the places of these six priests, the au-
thorities of the State will be asked
to permit them to do so. Furthermore,
they will be welcomed and aided in
their work so long as they confine
their activities to the church."It would be an act of—what would
you call it—folly for Mexico to at-
tempt to keep all priests from Mexico
when most of them people are Cath-
olic. The priests are not bad, their
work will be of much good, but they
must not meddle in politics."Gen. Calles, through Ives G. Le-
viester, Consul here for the de facto
government, added that he also was
sorry that the priests had not left
Sonora quietly without stating that
they were not bad, but they must not
meddle in politics."I am very sorry that it was nec-
essary for the State to take this step,
but some such action was necessary
to prevent disorders and possible seri-
ous difficulties.""At the same time I wish everyone
to understand that the deportation of
these priests is not intended by the

Tease.

FUNSTON IS CONCERNED
AT REVOLT OF HERRERA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) March 22.—The
report that Gen. Herrera,
commanding 2000 men at Chi-
huahua, had aligned himself with
Francisco Villa against the United
States, was received with grave con-
cern by Gen. Funston and his staff.
The long intervals between Gen.
Funston and his staff continued to
key the tension a bit, although Gen.
Funston and his staff continued to
profess the belief that all was well
with the troops below Casas Grandes,
but the report from Chihuahua made
insignificant any anxiety they might
have felt concerning Gen. Pershing's
operations.Officially and unofficially the opin-
ion entertained here was that if Her-
erra had joined in the international
conflict, it might be made an complex
that by comparison the pursuit of
Villa would be regarded as inciden-
tal.CONSUL NOT CONCERNED.
Consul Beltran of Carranza's gov-
ernment received no report of the reported
revolt of Herrera and he was
inclined to laugh at it as a "border
rumor."According to the version reaching
here, the report reached Monday
from command and immediately took
steps to alienate his garrison.That Carranza has enough loyal
troops in Northern Mexico to drive
him from the city of Chihuahua and if he
attempts to do so he will be beaten by

it.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE]

Slope.

TO WAVE
THE COUNCIL.members Adopt Resolu-
tion by Big Vote.be Unfurled at Each
sion of Body.Advocate Casts Only
voting Ballot.

WHEN EX-SENATOR DIED

2 (Wash.) March 22.—Oliver T. Erickson, radical ownership leader and single tax advocate, whose resolution providing for the unfurling of the United States flag at the beginning of each meeting when it came up, was adopted, 8 to 1.

A. T. H. Bolton, who

voted for the resolution

as proposed by Councilman Alvin

Hay, a material witness in London for five weeks. At the end of May the claimants served the

settlement on principle.

The settlement on principle was agreed to April 18, 1915, when the British government undertook to pay to the claimants the sum of £1,000,000 for the detention of the ship.

Lord Mervyn was appointed arbitrator to fix the actual sum to be paid

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The settlement was made early in

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Back-pedal.

CHINA ABANDONS MONARCHY IDEA.

Resumption of Republic is Decided on by Yuan.

Revolution will be Ended, is Washington Opinion.

United States Took no Part in the Negotiations.

(BY PACIFIC CABLE)

PEKING, March 22.—A State Department mandate, issued tonight, announced the abandonment of the monarchy and resumption of the republic.

The mandate says the revolution shows that the demand for a monarchical form of government is not unanimous and that therefore Yuan Shih Kai rejects the Emperorship and resigns the Presidency.

The mandate documents the mandate, adds, will be returned by Yuan Shih Kai to the state council, which will reconvene at the Senate, preparatory to the resumption of the republic.

Hu Shih Chang, who left the Cabinet because of the monarchial movement, signed the mandate as Secretary of State, having re-entered the Cabinet.

REVOLUTION AT END.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 22.—Officials of the Chinese Republic Association, which has been actively financing the opposition to Yuan Shih Kai, said here tonight that the movement from Peking means that the revolution is at an end. The association has a membership in the Americas of about 300,000.

In the downfall of Yuan Shih Kai's plans for making himself emperor, there was an official and diplomatic race for the restoration of peace in China and maintenance of the status quo in the Far East during the European war.

Press dispatches announcing the abandonment of the proposed monarchical form of government, although there had been no reports of the action either to the State Department or the Chinese legation, and recent dispatches had not indicated that the step was imminent.

The province of Yunnan, rebellious against the new government, has been maintaining its independence of the central government for months, and reports of discontent and revolt have come thick and fast from the southern districts.

In addition to this state of affairs at home, Yuan has faced powerful opposition from his own government side. Great Britain, Japan and Russia have exerted pressure to prevent any governmental change at this time.

Yuan had expected to proclaim the monarchy and ascend the throne from the beginning of the year. When the time came, however, it was announced that the proclamation had been postponed indefinitely and officially it was said that there would be no change in government until the war was over. It was understood that the prospect of having China benefit from the peace negotiations in which the final disposition of Kiao Chow will be determined, was an important factor in influencing the postponement.

Since Yuan dissolved the Assembly he virtually has been exercising the powers of government but in his relations with the outside world, China has not ceased to be a republic.

The Legation here still is accredited from the republic of China, and the Minister, Dr. Koo, acts in the name of the republic and the President.

The United States government has placed in part the diplomatic exchanges at Peking regarding the proposed change. Great Britain, Japan and Russia sought American cooperation in their opposition, but the Washington administration declined to express either approval or disapproval of Yuan's plans. The State Department, on the contrary, said the United States with propriety could not interfere in the internal affairs of sovereign states. The fact that the American government so cordially welcomed China into the world's family of republics had been replied to by the European powers to influence it to interest itself in the new situation.

Plot.

HIRED PICKPOCKET, NEW YORK CHARGE.

SEVEN CITY INSPECTORS ARE ACCUSED BY MAYOR.

Declared that Department Clerks Stopped Persons to Rob Applicants for Marriage Licenses as They Stood in Line at Window of the Bureau.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NEW YORK, March 22.—Seven inspectors and two clerks in the department of licenses were accused today of participating in a system of graft as a report made to Mayor Mitchell by Commissioner of Accounts Wallstein.

One of the charges is that a pickpocket was hired by persons in the department to rob applicants for licenses as they stood in line at the window. The disclosures in this instance are said to have come about through a detective posing as a pickpocket and entering into an agreement by which he was to divide what he stole with the insiders. He is said to have given them money he represented as having been stolen and to have been paid a fee among them for the plot. Other accusations are that applicants for licenses were made to pay tribute in addition to the regular fee for the granting of these licenses.

BERLIN NOW DENIES

DEBT TO BRAZIL.

(BY WIRELESS AND A. P.)

BERLIN, March 22 (via Sayville).—Referring to the recent report from Sayville to the German press that \$125,000,000 marks for coffee, which was stored in Germany and taken over during the war, the Overseas News Agency says the coffee was purchased in open sale and paid for in cash. The money was transferred, under the terms of the contract of 1911, to the authorized bank in Berlin.

THIRTY-FOUR BLOCKS BURN.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) March 22.—A hall four stories high, lighted and thrown by a boy into dry grass in a vacant lot, started a conflagration in Nashville at noon today, which was not under

MRS. CATT'S CRITICISM.

Declares Spoliors are Real Opponents of the Suffrage Movement.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

DETROIT (Mich.) March 22.—Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt of New York, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association, was the principal speaker here tonight at the opening session of the first annual Michigan campaign conference of suffragists.

The conference will close late tomorrow night, from each congressional district of Michigan, and expect to take part in a discussion of proposed plans to unite all Michigan's suffrage forces into a powerful State unit. This unit, it is planned, is to join with similar organizations of other states to campaign for a Federal amendment granting the franchise to women.

Mrs. Catt devoted much of her address to criticism of the opponents of suffrage. She classified these opponents under three heads: "Conservatives, pessimists and spoliors."

"The spoliors are our real opponents," she said. "When some great power, with much money, contributes vast sums to political campaign funds, it virtually buys up the consideration of the leaders of those political parties which have received these contributions, and therefore are able largely to control legislation, whether it be in a city, in a State or a nation. Those powers are all opposed to woman suffrage."

ANN SWINBURN MARRIED.

Young American Operatic Star Weds New York Music Publisher.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

PORTLAND (Or.) March 22.—In a telegram here today to her father, Ann Ditchburn, prominent attorney, Ann Swinburn Ditchburn, known as the opera star, Ann Swinburn, announces she was recently wedded in San Francisco Tuesday, and, enjoying her wedding trip with P. Schirmer, head of the New York music house by that name.

Miss Swinburn is known throughout the country as one of the most promising young comic opera stars, filling the storm early in the day.

the place left vacant by Alice Neilsen who sought honors on the grand opera stage. Miss Swinburn has made her home in New York for the past six years.

FELIX MARTINEZ IS DEAD.

Business Man, Well Known in Pasadena, Dies in El Paso.

(BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.)

EL PASO (Tex.) March 22.—Felix Martinez, director of the Dallas Regional Reserve Bank, vice-president of the Northwestern Portland Cement Company, who was born here, large by Carl Schaefer of Los Angeles, and a man of many and varied interests, died here at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon from pneumonia and heart trouble.

Mr. Martinez, while a citizen of Mexico, was a man of great worth, where the greater part of his interests are. He owned a large ranch in New Mexico near the Colorado State line, and claimed this as his home.

The leading Democratic papers of New Mexico have been urging him to seek the race for Governor of the State for the United States.

Mr. Martinez spent much time in Los Angeles and had a summer home in Pasadena, where Mrs. Martinez, who was in bad health, spent much of her time.

Mr. Martinez recently had plans drawn for a sum of \$50,000 in Pasadena, and expected to erect it this summer and make it his home for a part of the year. He was appointed by President Wilson as United States Commissioner to South America to invite these countries to the Panama-Pacific Exposition, and he officiated at the dedication of the Argentine Building at the fair.

FOOT OF SNOW IS REPORTED IN DETROIT.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

DETROIT, March 22.—Today's snowfall of nearly one foot in Detroit and Southern Michigan was the heaviest of the year and the greatest this late in the season since 1886. Thunder and lightning accompanied the storm early in the day.

Red Friend.

FIRE SWEEPS AUGUSTA, LOSS TWO MILLIONS.

Flames Rage Unchecked Until Near Midnight When Firemen Gain Mastery—Thirty-five Blocks are Destroyed in Nashville, Three Persons are Burned to Death at Paris, Tex., and Many Other Cities are Visited by Blazes.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

AUGUSTA (Ga.) March 22.—The fire caused damage estimated at more than \$2,000,000 in the downtown section of Augusta tonight, and at a late hour was eating its way unchecked down Broad street, where the city's principal business houses are located. Ten blocks had been destroyed or were burning and the flames were threatening to spread to residential sections.

Shortly before midnight the flames were carried by the wind into the residential section, where a new conflagration soon was making rapid headway. The outbreak was a distance four blocks from the blaze in the business section.

There apparently was little hope of saving Cotton Row, a string of warehouses worth \$1,600,000 of cotton is stored. The Cotton Exchange and the Board of Trade Building also are directly in the path of the flames and among the structures already destroyed or badly damaged were two office buildings, the Moon Building, four blocks, two telegraph company buildings and the buildings of two daily newspapers.

The fire started in the Dyer Office Building from a cause not determined, and a high wind frustrated efforts to check it. The Dyer Building was a total loss. Help for the loss was given by a few men on special trains from Atlanta, Macon and Savannah. At midnight the flames were apparently under control.

KANSAS AND MISSOURI RAVAGED

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) March 22.—Fires which ravaged the prairies of Western Kansas and parts of the wooded sections of Missouri south of here early today were believed to be extinguished or under control tonight.

Dodge City, Kan., which was threatened by fire, was reported out of danger. The flames were not subdued, however, before dozens of farm houses and many miles of valuable property were destroyed.

Near Utica, Kan., a stretch forty miles long and ranging from two to twelve miles wide was fire-swept. The greatest damage done by the fires is believed to have been done in this district. Although no towns were caught in the advancing wall of flames, many valuable ranches suffered great damage.

Only one fatality in any of the fires has been reported, that of Fred Simmons, a farmer of Fairplay, Mo.

Kansas City and vicinity last night and today was given a wide berth by residents. It is believed that the fire originated in a building in the northeast part of the city was blown in, sending a shower of bricks into a sleeping room, where a little girl was struck on the head. She is not believed dangerously injured. Numerous fires have been reported, but none has been of dangerous size.

THREE DEAD AT PARIS.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

PARIS, March 22.—Three persons are known dead and one is missing, and is believed to have perished in the fire, which destroyed all the business district of Paris last night and today was given a wide berth by residents. Mayor McColgan places the loss at \$1,000,000 and \$10,000,000 is estimated to have been suffered. Some 800 people are homeless.

The dead: JOHN STRAUB, burned in his house.

MRS. W. J. BAILEY, 50 years old, died from fright.

An unidentified negro, found burned in home.

Missing:

Mrs. A. G. Poul, an aged woman, whose home was burned, and who has not been seen since before the fire.

Weekend is the point of origin of the fire, the woman died in its history. Paris late today was not too tired to lend aid to Detroit, Tex., which was on fire and calling for help. Detroit is seventeen miles east of Paris on the Red River. Two pieces of apparatus adequately manned were sent to the aid of the threatened town.

THIRTY-FOUR BLOCKS BURN.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

NASHVILLE (Tenn.) March 22.—James Miller was probably fatally burned, his wife and Thomas Castle were severely burned. The Miller home had been set on fire by the Miller children, the eldest three years, were carried to safety. Miller threw oil on a smoldering fire and an explosion followed.

THINKS ALL WELL

IN CHIHUAHUA.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

EL PASO (Tex.) March 22.—Consel Garcia said tonight that he had been informed over the telephone by Gen. Gavira that a telegram had been received at the Juarez headquarters from Gen. Luis Herrera in Chihuahua City. The telegram was personal, according to Garcia, and contained recommendations about a civil prisoner under arrest in Juarez. This he took as evidence that all was well in Chihuahua.

He informed Gavira of the rumor of Herrera and Gavira's division, which he said would be investigated by telegraph with all haste. Garcia maintains that Herrera and Villa are deadly enemies whose union is unthinkable.

Disclaimer.

PEACE PROPOSAL

FLATLY DENIED.

PRESIDENT WILSON IS RESENTFUL AT INFERENCES.

In a Public Statement He Says Germany has Made No Overtures to the United States and the Republics are Absolutely Without Foundation.

(BY A. P. DAY WIRE.)

WASHINGTON, March 22.—President Wilson was represented at the White House today as being resentful of publication of stories that Ambassador Gerard had reported Germany was about to make a move for peace. The published reports were characterized as being based on inferences.

This statement was issued:

"President Wilson, through Secretary Tumulty, today authorized a denial of stories appearing in papers to the effect that the purpose of Ambassador Gerard's remaining in Berlin was to await Germany's proposal for peace. There is no justification for that inference being drawn."

Yesterday the State Department took notice of the publications by defining that Germany had intimated to the United States that the time was ripe for the United States, as the last neutral to renew its friendly offices for peace, or that the United States had been informed that Mr. Gerard had been requested to postpone his vacation because of pending peace negotiations.

Uncial reports reaching here said to the effect that the Ambassador actually had postponed his vacation, but gave no reason.

SECOND DENIAL.

The State Department today again took cognizance of the report, and the following statement was issued:

"Any statement that the German government had intimated that it desired this government to act as mediator in peace negotiations or that Germany was about to make a move for peace is absolutely without foundation, and the State Department has no information that Germany is preparing for peace."

State Department officials declared they were resentful at the publication of the reports, because, they said, if there were any prospects of mediation it would be damaged if not destroyed.

It is known that the American ambassadors in all the belligerent countries have constantly been reporting on conditions existing from the information of President Wilson. It is understood the burden of their reports has been that there were no more prospects for peace now than there have been at any time in the last six months.

All the belligerents are understood to be ready for peace on their terms.

TRIAL OF LORIMER.

Recover says His Transactions were Bad Banking, not Stealing.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

CHICAGO, March 22.—William C. Niblack, receiver for the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank, resuming the stand today in the trial of William Lorimer, charged with conspiracy in connection with the bank's failure, detailed further his efforts to recover the \$1,100,000 in safe-deposit boxes. He said there were \$1,100,000 of preference claims and that if they were upheld the depositors would not get a dollar, and that if all the claims were denied depositors might receive 25 cents on the dollar.

On cross-examination by Attorney Albert Fink, Lorimer was asked what caused the failure of the La Salle Street Trust and Savings Bank. Lorimer, charged with conspiracy in connection with the bank's failure, detailed further his efforts to recover the \$1,100,000 in safe-deposit boxes. He said there were \$1,100,000 of preference claims and that if they were upheld the depositors would not get a dollar, and that if all the claims were denied depositors might receive 25 cents on the dollar.

During the trial, the boy was stopped ten minutes every hour for rest. When the word was given that just dropped in their tracks in the road. No stop was made for dinner. It was just one steady ride from morning until we reached the camping place. The Indians were young out so that the detachments were a

SOLDIERS' HARDSHIPS ON MARCH INTO MEXICO.

Details.

First Account of the Experiences of the Men of the American Punitive Expedition Related by a Sergeant of the Thirteenth Cavalry—No Water, He Declares, During a March of Thirty-one Miles.

(BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.)

E L PASO (Tex.) March 22.—The story of the hardships suffered by the American soldiers in their famous march across the Chihuahua desert was told here tonight by Sergt. W. H. Harrison of the Thirteenth Cavalry. Sergt. Harrison told his story popped up in bed in the hospital where he was taken on his arrival here suffering from dysentery.

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THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Funeral of George T. O'Neill.

The funeral of George T. O'Neill of the Hamburger baseball team, who was drowned at Santa Monica, was held from the chapel of Robert Sharp at 2:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at Calvary Cemetery. —Cirqueon Club Meeting.

Dist. Atty. Woolwine is scheduled to discuss some of his troubles at the noon luncheon of the Criminal Club at the Club today. He has announced as his formal subject, "Powers, Duties and Limitations of the District Attorney."

Potdans Alumni to Meet.

Members of the Southern California branch of the Potdans Normal Alumni Association will hold their annual meeting at Christopher's at 6:30 o'clock tomorrow evening. Former and visiting students of northern New York are invited to be present.

Meeting of "Drys."

The Prohibition Club will meet at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. Lura Hyden Bolany, No. 1940 South Union avenue. Clara Belle Weaver will give readings, there will be a general discussion, and a business session. All interested in prohibition work are invited.

Address for Pouliotines.

The monthly meeting of the Poultry Breeders' Association of Southern California will be held in the Times Assembly Hall at First and Broadway, every Tuesday evening, when Harry E. Andrews, editor of the Los Angeles (Ms.) Journal, will speak on "The Pioneers of the Press." A choice musical programme will also be presented.

Girls in Vaudeville.

Society vaudeville will hold the boards tonight at Cumming Hall, when students in Cumming Academy will present an interesting programme to a large number of friends at the school.

Dancing girls of all nations will be seen in living pleasure and comedy play "The Cup of Chocolate," will reveal the Thespian talent of the students. Mrs. Helen Behemer is the director of the production. California Scenes.

A lecture illustrated with natural-color stereopticons views of the Kings and Kern rivers regions, Yosemite and Sequoia national parks and the headquarters of the Los Angeles Aqueduct will be given at the Southern German Hall, No. 345 South Spring street this evening at 8 o'clock. A musical programme will add to the entertainment. No admission will be charged and the public is invited.

Inaugural Luncheon.

The California Prosperity League will hold its informal inaugural luncheon next Tuesday noon, the 23rd inst., in the Alexandria Hotel banquet hall. Invitations have been sent and responses received from a large number of prominent men in the business and political life of the State. The organization is nonpartisan, its purpose being, as announced in the declaration of principles, to protect the taxpayer and promote the interests of the State.

New Kansas Society.

A new society of Kansans in Southern California has been organized separate from the Kansas Society of Los Angeles, for the purpose of holding an annual picnic at Kansas City in Southern California, and a banquet on Kansas Admission Day. Officers have been elected as follows: President, Dr. J. Harvey Moore; secretary, Miss Neale; vice-president from Pasadena, H. S. Harvey; vice-president from Long Beach, O. G. Sander; vice-president from Santa Ana, W. W. Simon. The date of the picnic will be announced later.

Picnic on Mt. Lowe.

Fifty school teachers and a number of students have accepted an invitation to join the Astronomical Society of Los Angeles in a picnic on Mt. Lowe Saturday, the 25th inst. Trains will leave Pacific Electric station at 9 and 10 o'clock in the morning. The party will have free use of the Mt. Lowe telescope, over which Prof. Larkin will preside, and Prof. William H. Knight will give descriptive talk on Saturn and the double star Castro.

"Go to Church Sunday."

At the recent general laymen's convention in this city it was decided to observe Sunday, April 2, as "Go-to-church Sunday" in all the territory covered by the convention delegation. This covers practically all of Southern California. Plans are now being made for special observance of this day. Locally the plans will be in charge of

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the Evangelistic Committee of the church federation.

Meeting of the Charles Frederick Holder Memorial Committee will be held in the office of Dr. Norman Bridge, 1615 Security Building next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Genesee Society Picnic.

The Genesee Society of Illinois will hold its annual basket picnic at Sycamore Grove Saturday. Former Congressman G. W. Prince will speak. All former residents of Genesee are invited.

Rotarians' Night Meeting.

The Rotary Club will hold a night meeting at 8:30 o'clock this evening at the Alexandria Hotel. Attendance is limited to the Rotarians and members of the firms they represent. There will be live discussions and amusing "stunts" and entertainments.

Applied Psychology.

The Southern California Association of Applied Psychology will meet this afternoon at the Kensington apartments, No. 228 Wilmer street. Topic for discussion will be "Facts and Problems of Some Diseases with Problems of Insanity." The discussion will be opened by the president, Miss Margaret Hamilton.

THREE KILLED IN WRECK.

Two Freight Trains Crash Near New Richland, Minn., During Storm.

(See A. P. Day Wires.)

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.) March 22.

Three men were killed and three injured, two probably dead, when a freight train of the Minneapolis and St. Louis Railroad crashed into the rear of another freight train a mile and a half east of New Richland, Minn., during a snowstorm today.

The dead: A. C. Stover, Minneapolis engineer; Fred Hart, stockman; Albert Lee; and Ole Wanaga, Albert Lee.

The caboose and three stock cars burned. The victims were caught in the burning wreckage.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.

(Advertising.)

For quick action drop answers to Times "Inliers" in Times liner boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of the Times "Inlier" section.

Mrs. Bertha Kuns Baker will read Ibsen's famous play, "The Master Builder," Friday evening at 8 o'clock at Cumming Hall. Tickets 50 cents. Admission 50 cents.

A great special sale is on at Bartlett Music Co., 231 S. Broadway, opposite City Hall. Look at classified ads for details.

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of passage. For further infor-
mation call, or write to The
Times Excursion Department,
corner of First street and
Broadway.The answer to show cause for fix-
ing a temporary alimony will be heard
today in Judge Wood's court.Mr. Gloyd, it is said, will be
represented by Mr. Fred Red-
dick, attorney for Mr. Gloyd,
and his wife will be represented by
Mr. Frank C. Los Angeles.

Mr. G. H. Los Angeles.

**FINAL TRIBUTE
TO SLAIN GIRL.**

**Body of Marguerite Favar is
Here for Burial.**

**Will Rest Beside Mother's in
Hollywood Cemetery.**

**Mystery of Death at Memphis
Remains Unsolved.**

After lying in a vault in Memphis for six months, the body of Marguerite Favar, a former Los Angeles stage favorite, who was murdered in a fashionable apartment-house in the Tennessee city September 21, last, was brought here yesterday and will be buried in Hollywood Cemetery this afternoon. As the actress had no living relatives, friends of herself and her mother, the late Mrs. Alice Favar, who died in November, 1912, and was buried in Hollywood, arranged to have the body buried at the side of her mother. It took some time to arrange for this, as legal matters connected with the estate had to be settled. These disposed of, the friends can now be paid to the unfortunate woman, who was so mysteriously slain at the height of a career during which she had attracted national notice.

The service this afternoon will be held at 3 o'clock in the open air at the Favar plot. Rev. Dr. James C. Hough, of the First Baptist Church will officiate. Earle C. Houck, the blind singer, who sang at the time of the burial of the mother, will be heard with a similar tribute at the funeral of the daughter. The body, dressed in white, will be taken to the cemetery early this afternoon and the friends will gather on the ground for the last rites for one who during her life delighted thousands of theater-goers in Los Angeles and other Pacific Coast cities.

MYSTERY UNSOLVED.

With this open-air funeral service at Hollywood Cemetery the book is closed with a mystery of her murder unsolved. The actress, who was twice married, first to Cressore, the Italian band master, and afterward to Capt. F. D. Thompson, U.S.A., retired, who committed suicide in 1909, was found buried in the Bingham date, Memphis, and near her body was that of J. C. Crowell of Greenwood, Miss., millionaire manager of the Buckley Cotton Oil Company. The night before Miss Favar, who was a dainty dancer, had given a dancing exhibition at the Wadsworth Club. After the performance she left the building with Crowell and entered his automobile.

It is the belief of her friends that Miss Favar, who aroused many storms of jealousy during her career, was killed by Crowell, the victim of a slighted lover who followed them from Greenwood to Memphis. The skulls of the dancer and the manufacturer were crushed by blows delivered with some blunt instrument. Crowell's throat was also cut and the body of the man was found hanging from a beam in the building. Odor of smoke led to the fire being quickly discovered and subdued.

When news of the murder of the actress was received in Los Angeles friends here were not slow to set detective work on the trail of the killer, but the evidence they secured was not considered sufficient to warrant the arrest of a suspect. These friends are convinced they know who the guilty man is but they have not been able to get enough evidence to place before the jury with a reasonable hope of obtaining conviction.

DAWN WAY TO FAME.

Marguerite Favar emerged from obscurity into fame. Coming from Australia with her mother a little more than eighteen years ago, she, at the age of 15 years, created a sensation with her dancing at the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland. Her beauty and her fervor in dancing attracted Cressore, an exponent of artistic activity, who made love to her in the same violent way in which he conducted his band. They were married, but proved, by divorcing, that two such forcefully artistic persons could not be ideal mates.

Miss Favar then toured the United States and several countries, making a name by her charm and daintiness. She appeared at the old Empire Theater here and also had an act on the Pantages circuit, called "Marguerite and Her Dancers," which attracted much attention. While here she met F. D. Thompson, who had served in the Philippines as a lieutenant in the United States Army and retired from the service with the rank of captain. The former military man fell deeply in love with her, and they were married in May, 1912, taking up their abode in Eighth avenue, Hollywood. Capt. Thompson committed suicide there about a year later, by taking poison. Miss Favar resumed her stage career and when she was murdered the plaudits of an audience she had delighted were still ringing in her ears.

TO DISCUSS METHODS.

Sunday-school Workers to Meet this Evening in Trinity Auditorium.

Questions of deep interest to Sunday-school workers will be discussed this evening in the primary auditorium of Trinity, as one of the features of "Educational Week," now in progress.

Sunday-school officers will discuss general methods. Teachers will talk about their teaching problems, and club presidents will discuss "What Our Class Is Doing." A new record system will be explained to departmental and class secretaries. J. L. Martin will be the leader of this general discussion of Sunday-school affairs.

NO RESTRICTIONS.

The District Court of Appeal has dismissed the petition for the writ of habeas corpus and remanded the prisoner in the action brought in behalf of Clara Viola Willis. In August, 1915, when the petitioner was but 17 years of age she was adjudged a delinquent by the Juvenile Court, and remained in the custody of her mother. When the same 18 years of age, she married a man named Willis, with the consent of her mother but not of the court. The Court of Appeal holds that there is no constitutional restriction of the legislative power over minors, and that she was legally a ward of the court until she reaches the age of 21.

Don't Procrastinate.

Wednesday night ends at the Times Friday

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CITY HALL AT VAN NUYS.

Land Donated, Council Orders Plans for Municipal Building in San Fernando District, to Provide Quarters for Police and Fire Departments.

The building department was ordered by the Council yesterday to prepare plans for a municipal building for the San Fernando district, to be erected at Van Nuys.

On receipt of an offer from citizens of Van Nuys to donate two or four lots 50x150 feet, it was decided to have plans ready for the consideration of the Budget Committee. The building will be designed to provide quarters for police and fire departments and a deputy City Clerk and other officials. The lot is a survey, and included, the two additional lots will be available without cost to the city.

The Harbor.
**FIRM STAND TAKEN
FOR AN OPEN SHOP.**

**LAUNDRY REFUSES DEMANDS
OF LABORERS COUNCIL.**

Inventor, Who Says Plan is Forming for Putting Employees on Profit-sharing Basis, Issues Statement Telling of Impossible Conditions Union Delegates Urge.

Declaring he will stand firmly for an open shop, C. T. Gilmore, manager of the Golden State Laundry, located at the harbor, issued a statement yesterday declining to accept an agreement proposed by a committee from the San Pedro Labor Council. The laundry is one of the largest in Southern California, does a large business with steamship companies operating out of this port and has an annual pay roll of \$35,000. The statement says, in part:

"Delegates from the labor union have called on the manager of the Golden State Laundry every few days during the past two or three weeks, wanting to unionize the help and make the laundry a union laundry.

"The final conference was held last evening in the offices of the Golden State Laundry Company, between three of the delegates and the entire board of directors of the company. At conclusion of the conference the board of directors decided unanimously that the Golden State Laundry must be maintained as an open plant, for under no conditions could they see their way clear to have it unionized and have people come in who knew nothing about the laundry to direct the work and how to run the plant, and the conditions that the union contract called for, which was given to the Golden State Laundry Company to sign, were so objectionable in some places, it could not be entertained under the conditions prevailing in San Pedro."

"Since May 1, 1915, the present management has been formulating a plan to put the Golden State Laundry Company on some co-operative or profit-sharing basis with its employees to the mutual advantage of all, for they have experienced help in the direction of doing business with always employed San Pedro people, in fact, not one of their employees lives outside of San Pedro, as we believe in encouraging home industries.

"Pending the completion of these plans all faithful employees of the company will be paid wages and when they are now receiving and after the plan is started, such wages will be increased if possible as merited. The plan will be published promptly and will no doubt prove attractive and satisfactory, as did the plan of the Douglas Shoe Company, the Crane Company, the Ford Company, and many other progressive institutions in the country."

Mr. Gilmore has been financially interested in the plant for several years and came here a few months ago to take active management of the company. He made a fortune at Chicago in the manufacture of dredging machinery and is the inventor of labor-saving devices used all over the world in modern laundries.

COURT OUR GOOD WILL.

So say Customs Men who are Back from Trip Along Mexican Border.

The special Customs Committee, consisting of the collector of customs at Los Angeles, Henry Blackwood, special deputy collector at Seattle, and Paul Cook, customs collector at Washington, made a round trip yesterday on a trip of 4000 miles, covering the entire length of the Mexican border. The party used an automobile for the larger part of the journey, keeping in touch with the international boundaries and following the entire length of the Rio Grande from El Paso to its mouth at Brownsville.

Members of the party refused to discuss in detail the conditions found along the Mexican border, but the view was expressed that the Mexicans in control of the situation are anxious for the good will of the United States. They are anxious to see where the Carranza troops are in charge they found conditions excellent, considering the hardships through which the country has passed. At Matamoros they were given a banquet and ball by a nephew of Gen. Carranza. The party was in Columbus, N. M., about ten days before the attack on that city.

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THURSDAY MORNING.

MARCH 28, 1916.—[PART II.]

Self-alien?
SEEK TO PROVE
SUICIDE STORY.Defense Shows its Hand in the
Tugwell Murder Trial.Son of Dead Woman Bares Her
Love Affairs on Stand.State Unable to Identify the
Poison as Chloroform.

The second trial of Percy Tugwell, accused of the murder of Mrs. Maud Kennedy, is under way before Judge Houser. Four witnesses were called to the stand yesterday after the selection of the final juror, F. O. Fraser. The first of these was Phillip Kennedy, former associate and close friend of the defendant.

With head bowed, he admitted that his mother had "several love affairs and that she was fond of Tugwell, in whom home she was discovered with 'Devine' Thompson, an ex-pugilist. Mr. Tugwell, the defendant's mother, stated Mrs. Kennedy out of the Young Kennedy established the ownership of the valuable jewels taken from his mother, just prior or immediately after her death.

Attorney George W. Weller testified that death had come to the woman from the swallowing of chloroform, ammonia or some similar volatile poison which had corroded the lining of her mouth and burned her lips. He could not positively identify the poison administered.

Detective G. A. Cummings, one of the officers who found the body of the woman on a vacant lot, narrated in detail the story of finding a number of articles of wearing apparel and jewelry in adjacent lots. A big diagram of the vicinity occupied by the house on the jury box and on the various locations were accurately marked. Among the things picked up were a slipper, a glove, rings of no great value and a small necklace.

The effort of the defense to prove the innocence of Mrs. Kennedy was apparent throughout the cross-examinations. While Detective Cummings was on the stand, Attorney Lauer endeavored to bring out the fact that the steps of Mrs. Kennedy were labored and dragging and had clearly indicated an effort of flight, such as occurred in place of being hidden from the view of onlookers.

Mr. Eddie Starr, one of the last persons to see Mrs. Kennedy alive, told of her departure from home on the morning of the crime. Detective Attorney Doran then read to the record the testimony of one of the minor witnesses at the previous trial, owing to her inability to come from Cincinnati.

They Pay.
WASTE OF MONEY.

Property Owners and Business Men
Office Work of Joint Bureau
of Appraisal—Vote of Com-
munity in the City and
County Assessors.

The work of the late joint bureau of appraisal came in for sharp criticism yesterday afternoon at the hands of representative property owners and business men gathered by invitation of the Los Angeles Realty Board, in its board headquarters, to discuss matters of taxation with the city and county assessors. The meeting was to have been of the nature of a getting together of the Realty Board Taxation Committee and the Building Owners and Managers' Association.

Mr. Hopkins and City Assessor Mallard, both present, were in a resolution introduced by A. R. Lenkerberg and passed by unanimous vote of the fifty or so at the meeting, of the entire committee, to be held in their work by two committees. They were asked to meet at a later date with a special committee of the Realty Board and President of the Building Owners' Association.

General of the assessment expressed the belief that the evaluation work of the joint bureau created last spring by the City Council and the Board of Assessors had been accomplished at the expense of the taxpayers' money and it had been of no benefit. D. A. Mallard, who presided, talked at length on the subject, giving the opinion that the assessors should go about and use their own judgment in using the bureau's statistics in any way. His views were confirmed by several.

Mr. Hopkins made a brief statement regarding some of the activities of the bureau, pointing out that his department, through having the services of the bureau's staff, was able to make a more thorough survey of property than ever before. Mr. Mallard, on the other hand, denied that the bureau's figures had been of little value.

When the special committee will meet the time of completion by them of their downtown valuation statistics Mr. Hopkins stated that this would be about ten days.

GAMBLING GAME.
Three Men Arrested in
Spring-Street Place.

On Saturday afternoon, the police took one man sitting in a gambling den in the Twenty-first Century Club, 111½ South Spring street, when the man had lost all his money. The man broke down the door and made a raid in which more than \$1000 were arrested. Several hundred dollars were on the table when the raid was made, the police said.

One man was arrested as a gambler, and held under \$250 bail. The other two, held under \$100 bail, were Arthur George Folger, Louis Rosenthal, and H. Carson. Most of the gamblers were men, some were sheared and ridiculous names, such as "Allards" and "Quicksilva." Some complaints had been received by the police from men who had lost their savings in the game. They assigned a coroner to watch the game and the raid occurred under the police's direction.



Rev. George Davidson,
Rector of St. John's Episcopal Church,
who is speaker this week at the mid-
day Lenten services at St. Paul's
Pro-Cathedral.

Preparation.
NOON MEETINGS
FOR BUSY FOLK.

DEEP INTEREST IN LENTEN
DAILY SERVICES.

These Half-hour Devotions in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral are Appreciated by Many—Addresses this Week are by Rector of St. John's
Episcopal Parish.

Much interest is being directed in church circles to the noon Lenten meetings held daily in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Olive street, opposite Central Park. These meetings will continue during the entire Lenten season. They open promptly at 12:05 o'clock with the singing of one or two hymns; then follows short devotions and the address. The service is closed at 12:20. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to drop in daily and participate in these services, which are under the auspices of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

A different clergymen will have of the services each week. This week the addresses are by Rev. George Davidson, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church on Adams street, an aggressive and earnest speaker. The services next week will be in charge of Dr. Charles Deuel, rector of Trinity Church, Santa Barbara.

Mr. Davidson's theme yesterday noon was "The Christian Character." He said, in part:

"We are now right down to it, the governing idea which moulds the life of the Christian into the full stature of the perfect man. Christ is the simple idea of being good.

"Honesty, clean-mindedness, conscientiousness and cheerfulness, are the four foundation stones in the Christian character. The church forbids 'pickling' as well as stealing, and if that president of a great insurance company whose arrest shocked this country a few years ago had not confused his conception of honesty through the trivial picking, he would not have been placed behind the bars for the extensive dealing."

"The only way to attain clean-mindedness is to fill the mind with clean thoughts, and not merely to try to expel the unclean.

"Conscience is the voice of God. "Cheerfulness is a positive duty. Make this cheerful for somebody else and you will get more than just the vision of the heavenly mansions to make you cheerful."

At noon today, Mr. Davidson will speak on "The Christian Story." Tomorrow the author will be "Christian Comfort," and Saturday, "Christian Hunger." The services will continue daily until Easter.

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The man broke down the door and made a raid in which more than \$1000 were arrested. Several hundred dollars were on the table when the raid was made, the police said.

One man was arrested as a gambler, and held under \$250 bail. The other two, held under \$100 bail, were Arthur George Folger, Louis Rosenthal, and H. Carson. Most of the gamblers were men, some were sheared and ridiculous names, such as "Allards" and "Quicksilva." Some complaints had been received by the police from men who had lost their savings in the game. They assigned a coroner to watch the game and the raid occurred under the police's direction.

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

AT HOME: A general revival of investment demand caused an upturn of substantial proportions in financial districts, and many stocks and bonds touched higher levels. The inquiry for Anglo-French bonds was spirited. War stocks, especially, were strong, though exchange on the principal European centers was noticeably weaker. Oil shares at first were under pressure, but later recovered all losses. Talk of peace again affected wheat markets. Railroads continue to report increased earnings. (For details see financial pages.)

SPOLIATING HIS TEA.

At Redlands a man who seeks divorce says that he found poison in his whisky during his honeymoon trip. He is evidently a man who wants to nominate his own poison and who would perhaps prefer to elect his own cure.

NOT GOOD DISCIPLINE.

Nine members of a National Guard company at Pasadena have asked for their discharge because a new commander has been elected by a margin of one vote. This certainly does not favor of the spirit of the soldier nor the discipline of the army.

WENDING ITS WAY.

The Colorado River has been bridged again, this time at Needles. This stream is a much talked about wetness and a great deal of information concerning it is quite misleading. For instance, the Colorado may be many things, but if there is one thing that it is not, it is silvery. The only thing silvery about the Colorado River is the song of that name.

CHINESE TRADE AS A PRIZE.

The newspapers of China are asking a fair deal of the Japanese. Of course China is the real reason for the amount of suspicion with which Japanese policy and policies are sometimes viewed. Japan feels that China is to her as Mexico is to the United States, but other nations feel that they have as much right to the trade of China as has Japan, and some of them doubt if they will get it if Japan has its way.

VILLA, PEON.

Whatever may be the outcome of the American pursuit of Villa in Mexican territory there is little doubt that the main object of Villa in his destruction of Columbus was to invite American invasion of Mexican territory. Villa's reasoning was that if Carranza consented to such invasion he (Villa) would use that fact to arouse the Mexican people against him and procure his overthrow. If he did not consent, but opposed American intervention, he would need Villa's forces and that would mean to place Villa in command of the army and give him a position from which he might hope to secure an election to the Presidency.

The best thing that can happen, both for the United States and Mexico, is that Villa, shall be captured and shot or hanged by the Carranza forces. That will restore order in the Northern Mexican States which have been the scene of Villa's depredations.

ABUNDANCE OF IRON IN GERMANY.

Let whosoever will grow despondent, the motto of the German sons of Tubal Cain is all despondency. At the annual meeting of the German Ironmasters' Association held recently in Berlin, the president, Dr. Springer, asserted that "British hopes and efforts to destroy Germany by the destruction of an industry which is absolutely necessary to supply the army and preserve the economic equilibrium, have been useless on account of the self-contained industrial resources of the nation and the manner in which they have been co-ordinated."

It is certainly true that German industry has wonderfully adapted itself to new conditions, overcoming all technical difficulties with a tranquillity which is the result of the vigor of German organization and of the application of scientific principles. These qualities have made it possible to meet all the demands of the German army and navy. The vice-president of the association, Dr. Petersen, said Great Britain had hoped to cripple Germany by stopping the importation of manganese, but that this effort had been in vain because manganese had been replaced completely by a German product. Dr. Petersen declared all other supplies requisite for the production of iron and steel are abundant in Germany and that the nation can stand a war of any length.

NO ARMY SUICIDE.

Gen. Funston is wise in asking for an adequate force for the Mexican invasion. There would be nothing extravagant in a demand for 20,000 men on the march and as many more held on the border as reserves. It takes a great many men to cover the wide territory that may have to be traversed, even for the capture of so small an army as that headed by the bandit Villa, and it would be folly to have this desperado and his gang faced by only a handful of United States troops. The mere fact that one man's bullet is just as deadly as another's, if such an expedition should proceed without the right force and backing, it might amount to nothing less than the suicide or murder of that portion of our army which was sent forth unprepared. This is especially true in view of the fact that the whole Mexican situation is much in doubt and no one can say in advance what proportions it may assume.

WILL MR. SCATTERGOOD EXPLAIN? The taxpayers of Los Angeles read with feelings akin to dismay the impressive and candid article in last Sunday's Times headed "Los Angeles Power Plant Project Grave for Taxpayers' Money." A number of those who are paying the power pipe have written letters to The Times expressing their opinions in no half-hearted manner and demanding that the fullest investigation be made. Typical of the communications received is that of J. B. Roberts of 7003 Hawthorne avenue, Hollywood. He says the article "indicates one of the most startling and serious conditions that could be thought of and is sufficient to arouse every citizen, to say nothing of the direct taxpayers, to immediate and definite action." Everyone, except those responsible for the "startling and serious conditions," undoubtedly will agree with Mr. Roberts, who proceeds:

"From the conditions indicated in said article, if true, there can be only two conclusions reached, and they are: That Engineer Scattergood and his business associates are totally inefficient, or that they are willfully misrepresenting the people and squandering the taxpayers' money."

"As a citizen of Los Angeles, having invested a considerable amount of money here in buildings and a home, I protest against further procedure in the expenditure of money unless Mr. Scattergood can satisfy the taxpayers that the information your paper has given us is incorrect."

"I therefore ask you, as a citizen of Los Angeles and a patron of your paper, to give Mr. Scattergood and his associates space in your daily to explain the accusations that you have made."

"It appears to me that if satisfactory denials are not forthcoming, the people of Los Angeles should arise as one and demand the resignation of the parties responsible. Such a matter as this is serious to the future welfare of this, the most wonderful city in the United States. Advertised as we are, the greatest drawing card that we can have is to make this the most economical place to live in in the United States. And with all the advantages that Southern California affords this feature should be easily accomplished."

"I hope that your protest will bring in 10,000 earnest appeals for an investigation. No doubt many times that number will feel, after reading your article, as I do, but will not take the pains to communicate with you. Hoping that you will offer space to Mr. Scattergood and that he will take advantage of same so that we may have his version of this important matter."

Mr. Scattergood well knows that the columns of The Times are open to him. As was said on Sunday in calling attention to this lamentable example of wastefulness and inefficiency, The Times, we repeat, has no personal grievance against Engineer Scattergood or his assistants. Without rancor and solely in the interests of the taxpayers, attention was called to conditions which have become so intolerable that they call for the immediate action which Mr. Roberts demands. If San Francisco Canyon proves to be the grave of Engineer Scattergood's reputation as well as of the taxpayers' money it can only be through Mr. Scattergood's own fault.

Even those who but skimmed over last Sunday's article must have been struck by the extremes between Mr. Scattergood's first estimates of the cost of the Los Angeles aqueduct power project and the actual expenditures to date and also between that first estimate and the cost if the power project is carried out in all its ramifications. When the project was first put up to the people they were led to believe that the costs of the power plants and the distributing system would be far less than has proved to be the case. They more or less cheerfully voted \$10,000,000 worth of bonds and still the project is unfinished. And to make matters more unpleasant it seems a declaration officially placed before the State Water Commission calls for a total expenditure of \$22,000,000 to include the development of the upper phases of the project.

As a figure it can hardly be said that Mr. Scattergood cuts a good figure. Mr. Roberts and other correspondents ask that Mr. Scattergood explain how it came about that there was such a tremendous difference between the estimates and the actual expenditure. They are astonished to find that originally Mr. Scattergood's estimates for the two power plants in San Francisco Canyon totaled \$4,494,000, but now they are told that the cost of the two units will reach \$9,750,000, or almost double the sum named by the engineer in the days of his enthusiasm for the power project which has proved so costly to the taxpayers. Of course any man is liable to be a few hundred thousand dollars out one way or the other in making estimates involving millions, but to be so far away from actuality as Mr. Scattergood proved to be in this instance justifies Mr. Roberts and other taxpayers in demanding a satisfactory explanation. It was a grievous error and grievously are the taxpayers feeling it.

Of less importance are the points raised as to the delay in the completion of the power plants and the extraordinary system pursued in buying material, nevertheless these are matters upon which the taxpayers would like to have some light shed. Completion of the power plants was promised by April, 1912, but they are still unfinished. Kingdoms have passed out of existence since 1912, empires have been shaken to their foundations, but "divil a bit" of power for the stay-at-home? A married man has his wife and property and children to fight for, but an unmarried man has not even a mother-in-law. There really should not be any question of marriage in war. In such a crisis a country needs its sons and it cannot take into account their personal circumstances.

NO RESPECTER OF PERSONS.

It seems stupid folly for the married men in England to participate in riots because they are wanted for military service and for them to hold back simply because every unmarried man has not yet been enrolled. It might occur to the bachelors that there is no good reason why they should be sacrificed exclusively. Have not the married men all the best of it at home and should the unmarried men be sent to fight all of the battles for the stay-at-home? A married man has his wife and property and children to fight for, but an unmarried man has not even a mother-in-law. There really should not be any question of marriage in war. In such a crisis a country needs its sons and it cannot take into account their personal circumstances.

Interesting News.



ARIZONA DECISION MAKES PROHIBITION IMPOSSIBLE.

BY T. M. GILMORE.

President National Model License League.

Some time ago I made the published statement that the prohibition wave had reached its crest when Arizona adopted a constitutional amendment prohibiting the introduction of liquor "under any circumstances." Since then the efforts of Arizona prohibitionists to have the law nullified have been successful, and the Supreme Court of Arizona has decided that liquor may be shipped into Arizona for personal use, notwithstanding the prohibition amendment.

A. R. Buckman, who as secretary of the Temperance Federation of Arizona led the fight for the adoption of the amendment and who throughout the campaign assured the people of Arizona that the amendment was not intended to shut out shipments for personal use, is quoted by Arizona papers as saying that the court's decision was a big victory for the "temperance forces" and that the letting in of liquor for personal use has made 25,000 friends for the "prohibition" movement.

The Arizona decision was that until the law makes the personal use of liquor unlawful the law against shipping liquor for personal use is invalid. In other words, until the people are willing to give up their right to drink wine, beer and whisky the law will not take from them the right to receive shipments of these beverages for personal use.

As Arizona was the only State that had ever legislated against introducing liquor "under any circumstances" it is now a fact that liquor may be taken into every prohibition State in the Union.

In some cases the prohibition laws have "limited" shipments, as in Georgia, where one may receive only four times as much whisky, three and one-half times as much beer and twenty-four times as much wine as is consumed on the average throughout the country. Kansas has no limitation at all. The same reluctance to make prohibition effective is shown by the leaders who framed the nation-wide prohibition bill, which, if it were adopted, would permit the lawful making, shipping and importing of liquor for personal use. The prohibitionists have flatly refused to amend the bill so as to make it a genuine prohibition bill.

As the case stands now the people will continue to buy and use liquor and, just as soon as the people come to the realization that there is to be no prohibition, there will be a demand for sensible regulation.

While I have been tireless in fighting prohibition I have never been blind to the evils resulting from abuses in connection with the misuse of liquor or with the breaking of law in connection with the sale of liquor.

I have never been ready to admit that the liquor business as conducted needed radical improvement in the way of weeding out the undesirable characters that have been so unfortunately identified with the liquor business in some places.

On the other hand, I have insisted that the other ideas of reform have done more harm than good. One plan for uplift by "reformers" has been to put excessive license burdens on the business. The effect of excessive taxation has been to destroy legitimate profit and to encourage unlawful and improper practices, as well as to drive out in many cases the better element in the business.

The fact is that the prohibitionists have been the bitter foes of real reform. They realize that their best-paying assets are the "dives" and the "drunks" and for this reason they have stubbornly tried to block every plan for betterment or for the advancement of real temperance.

This league advocates the reasonable limitation of the number of licenses in proportion to the population, but its efforts to obtain such limitation are always resisted by prohibitionists.

We have advocated the revocation of the license upon the holders being convicted of violating the law, and we have had the determined opposition of the prohibitionists on this point.

We have realized that the renewal of licenses should not be in the hands of politicians who almost invariably use this means of making the liquor business a factor in politics, and we have advocated the automatic renewal of licenses so long as the dealer obeys the law, pays his fee and has the lawful right to sell.

It is to the interest of the prohibitionists that the liquor question be kept in politics, and therefore we have had very bitter opposition in this matter.

We have sought to have the penalties for law-breaking made mandatory and certain instead of leaving the matter of law enforcement to the political discretion of judges, but the prohibitionists have fought us on this point because they want to keep the courts in politics so that prohibitionists, regardless of ability, may be elected to judgeships. So it has been throughout the history of the work for constructive legislation.

Notwithstanding the fight that has been made against proper regulation, two States, Indiana and Ohio, have adopted model license law and parts of the law have been adopted in half a dozen other States with gratifying results in the way of law enforcement.

I do not expect that the prohibition leaders will give up the fight easily, but I do believe that they will find their support lessening in proportion to the popular reaction against an expensive agitation for prohibition that is not intended to prohibit. Even now they might take notice that the people of Vermont recently rejected prohibition by a majority of 13,000 and that both branches of the Kentucky Legislature refused to favor State-wide prohibition bills, though they did adopt measures intended to regulate the liquor business.

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HE VIVISECTOR.

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in the abyss of suffering ready

for eager service, fierce and grim

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BARS BURN AT THE CITY HALL.

David Woods Feature the Row Over Street Sprinkling.

Efficiency Commiss Prods Public Works Board.

"Childish and Asinine," Says Mr. Handley in Reply.

There may be need of sprinklers elsewhere than on the streets soon when the torrid situation at the City Hall abates.

Charging that the hasty and ill-advised action of the Board of Public Works in letting a four-year contract for the rental of motor-driven street sprinklers will likely cost the taxpayers a sum of \$60,000, the Efficiency Commission sent a warm reply yesterday to some of the criticisms of its report made recently by President Roosevelt of the Works Board.

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Protection.

GUARDIAN FOR FATHER.

An Appeal to Court for Custodian of New Aged Miner's Property and Interests—Rothschild's Progressive Purchasers of His Valuable Claims.

Mining claims which the Rothschilds, the great bankers, negotiated some time ago, were mentioned in the guardianship proceedings of H. L. Hudson, 80 years old, in the Bronx, New York, yesterday. The guardian was sought by Lambert P. Rothchild, who said his father is incompetent to transact business. Among the assets is a claim in San Bernadino county, one of the group which the Rothschilds were interested in, and this claim Mr. Hudspeth said he was told for \$200,000.

He talked freely on the subject with Mr. Hudspeth, bailed him out of age, and the two men sat down together and discussed the property of the old miner. "Jog them

I am all right, don't you fret about that, I am able to take care of myself," said the old man. "The great difficulty," he said, "is to develop his mind. The question will be decided on Wednesday, to which date the case was continued.

LIFE CLOSES.

He Was in Active Business Here More Than Quarter Century.

H. L. Hudson, 80 years of age, a man who was a business man in the city, passed away at his residence, No. 2002 Maple Avenue, early yesterday afternoon. Funeral services were held at the Swedish Lutheran Church, 11th and S. P. Johnson, off Broadway, at 2:30 o'clock. Saturday the body will be placed in the casket at Ingleswood.

He came to this country in 1880 and became a resident of Los Angeles in 1885. He was the head of the firm of Blomberg & Eck, which became the Universal Screen Co. Mr. Blomberg was a deacon of the Swedish Lutheran Church for many years. He leaves the widow,

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Auto Insurance.

(Continued from Fifth Page.)

Fields of operation of the auto theft, but with the energetic crusade there and in the East generally these lawless persons have been driven to this Coast, where many of them seem to have found a home in Los Angeles as their scene of operation."

Mr. Kellam says thefts of tools and other automobile accessories have also increased alarmingly of late. He believes the solution of the problem lies to a considerable extent in passing a uniform law, prescribing that all automobile dealers render to the police department a record of their purchases. He suggests that the ordinance be fashioned after the pawnshop ordinance which has resulted in the recovery of a large part of the stolen goods pawned.

The committee, he complete its business today and return to San Francisco tonight. Members who have been conducting the investigation here are F. B. Kellam, T. H. Anderson, C. R. Page, W. Irving, and Benj. Goodwin, all from San Francisco.

ARMY MAN GUEST HERE.

Maj. W. H. Loving, U.S.A. (retired) is a guest of Maj. J. B. Loving, at the latter's residence on North Main Street. The local Loving is a deputy sheriff while the visitor was originally a member of the Filipino Constabulary Band which appeared at the Panama-Pacific International Exposition last year. After a few weeks here, he will leave again for Manila and the Philippines.

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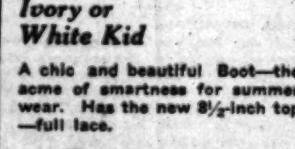
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Stecher and Demetral in Butte Tonight--Some Bout.

Who will Win? WRESTLING BOUT LOOKS A WINNER

Demetral Confident of Handing
Stecher Licking.

Stecher has Very Different
Thoughts.

Winner will be Championship
Material.

[BY DIRECT WIRE--EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]
BUTTE (Mont.) March 22.—Considerable excitement prevails here tonight previous to the big Stecher-Demetral wrestling bout scheduled for Friday.

Demetral has long been a favorite here, due to his having thrown many opponents in this city. Stecher sprang into instant fame a few weeks ago on his only appearance here.

Stecher's appearance and his wonderful record have given rise to his being mentioned as a championship possibility, and now that Demetral has recently wrestled Frank Goch, the "championship" it will be possible for the first time to draw a line on Stecher's chances with the championship.

There seems to be a little possibility of some bad blood creeping into the bout, due to some many things Stecher thinks Demetral has been saying about him. Stecher claims that Demetral tried to get him "all wrong" in Los Angeles.

The fact that Demetral managed to win and hold his own with the champion, and that he is quite confident of victory tomorrow, practically offsets the effect of Stecher's wonderful record and performances, and the men are practically an even choice for the match.

WATER POLOISTS TO MINGLE FOR TITLE.

Los Angeles Athletic Club water poloists, champions of Southern California, will defend their title Friday night when they will meet the fast Bimini Bathers team in the first of a three-game series.

The contest will be played at Bimini. A second game probably will take place at the Mercury Club, and a third, if necessary, in a neutral tank.

The Bimini team has been working for some time preparing for this meet. The team is said to be one of the most evenly represented the place with the exception of the Southern. Instructor Vance Veith of the Mercury Club will have to put his best team on the field to meet the Bimini aggregation.

Veith has started working with his men for the coming meet. He will hold two practices each before Friday night. The L.A.A.C. has set aside a game this season with the result that they expect to be in excellent shape when they tackle the Bimini troupe.

WHITTIER STARS ARE NOW SQUASHED.

The Y.M.C.A. heavyweights managed the Whittier Crescents yesterday evening to the tune of 44 to 24. Real basketball was exhibited throughout the entire game and the local heroes were decidedly the best. Fast work features the play and rapid basket bearing was the rule of the evening. The line-up:

Y.M.C.A. Position Crescents
Delaney (6) Forward Schwartz (14)
Kahl (16) Forward Redman (2)
Gill (10) Center Brownell (8)
Wallace (4) Guard Wicker
Booker Guard
Team

CAP McCULLEN ACCEPTS VEITH'S SWIMMING DEFI.

THE peevish murmurings of Prof. F. Vance Veith of the Los Angeles Athletic Club have met with a prompt response from Cap McCullen, the demon life guard at Venice. We herewith flash upon an eager and expectant public the letter with which Mr. McCullen accepts Veith's challenge:

VENICE OF AMERICA, March 22, 1910.

Dear Sir: Relying to Mr. Veith's defi which appeared in the Pink Sheet of the March 21st edition of The Times, I will say that I am quite willing to meet the gentleman of high aspirations, envy and conceit in a two-mile ocean race; same to take place at Venice, starting from the beach back of the Venice plunge, continuing one mile out to sea and back and finishing at the starting place.

Also, being somewhat of a fancy diver, I would be pleased to give Mr. Veith an opportunity to "get my number" in a contest of this sort. For instance, fifteen or more dives from a ten-foot springboard. In fact, I am willing to accommodate him in the water in any manner of contest he may choose to name, such as a little wrestling or ducking match, and will guarantee to drown him in less than five minutes or quell the swimming game forever and go back to "Slow Town" and spend the remainder of my days. This statement alone should prove the sincerity of my acceptance.

I do not claim to be a champion. I leave that to Mr. Veith. Several years ago I retired from the "sporting side" of aquatic life and since that time have been content to peg along as an ordinary life guard and instructor of swimming, but since it pleases this fellow Veith to choose me my sporting blood is aroused and will not permit me to allow the challenge to go by.

All that I ask in time for training, and I will be glad to meet him any time during the month of May—say, about the 15th, rain or shine—and I will swim for "gold, love or glory;" and to show him that I am a "good fellow," when he blows up, I will tow him ashore. Being a native of "Philly" myself, it is only natural that I am possessed of a soft spot in my heart for other boys from the same town.

A reply to this article will not be necessary on Mr. Veith's part. I take reply to his word, and hereby accept the challenge and shall lay my plans accordingly. Merely let him state whether or not the 15th of May will be a date satisfactory to his pleasure. I shall start training at once, having already placed myself in the motherly and tender care of Trainer Nick Lewis.

Very truly yours,

CAPT. A. L. McCULLEN.

Captain Atlantic City Beach Patrol, now Captain Venice Life Guards. P. S.: Since reading and accepting Mr. Veith's challenge to a swimming contest, it occurs to me that possibly he may be somewhat skilled in the art of handling a surf boat. There is one championship title that I do claim—not only for the Pacific Coast, but for the whole United States. If Mr. Veith should happen to know anything about this form of many exercises it might please him to be given a chance to wrest these—my true laurels—from my sunburned brow.

A. L. McC.



TROJAN BASEBALL MEN START NORTH.

Fourteen husky ball players from the Trojan institution will board the train for the north this morning prepared to tackle the crack teams of the University of California and the Artisans.

The contest will be played at Stanford.

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Business: Money, Stocks, Bonds—Trade—Local Produce Market—Citrus Markets

Stocks and Bonds.

SUBSTANTIAL RECOVERIES MADE IN WALL STREET.

Trading Opens Unevenly, Hardens and Falls but at Closing Time Good Gains are Made in the Active List. Foreign Exchange is Generally Weaker but Anglo-French Bonds are Decidedly Stronger.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, March 22.—In keeping with its recent irregular and illogical course, today's market recorded some substantial recoveries from the lower levels of the early week. Developments of broader financial interest, such as the persistent weakness of exchange on Germany and Austria, and another break in the Paris rate, excited little attention except in banking circles. Progress toward the completion of the Canadian loan, which has been definitely fixed at \$75,000,000, was reported by the underwriters. Stocks opened unevenly, hardened and fell again before midday, but a brief period covering the major of the day's operations. In the afternoon the market strengthened in all divisions with some gains and, after the close, rose but rates on gold and southern stiffened on increased mercantile demand. Bonds were steady, with no special feature, except for the war loan, which closed at \$100.00, up \$2,000.00. United States coupon was advanced 1/4 per cent on call.

STOCK SALES COMPARED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, March 22.—Following is a comparison of today's stock and bond sales:

COMPARISON OF BOND SALES.

Total sales, March 22, 1916. \$ 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1915. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1915. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1914. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1914. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1913. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1912. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1911. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1910. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1909. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1908. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1907. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1906. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1905. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1904. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1903. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1902. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1901. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1900. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1999. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1998. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1997. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1996. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1995. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1994. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1993. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1992. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1991. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1990. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1989. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1988. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1987. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1986. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1985. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1984. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1983. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1982. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1981. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1980. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1979. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1978. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1977. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1976. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1975. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1974. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1973. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1972. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1971. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1970. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1969. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1968. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1967. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1966. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1965. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1964. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1963. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1962. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1961. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1960. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1959. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1958. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1957. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1956. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1955. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1954. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1953. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1952. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1951. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1950. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1949. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1948. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1947. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1946. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1945. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1944. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1943. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1942. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1941. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1940. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1939. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1938. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1937. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1936. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1935. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1934. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1933. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1932. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1931. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1930. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1929. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1928. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1927. 2,518,000

Total sales, March 22, 1926. 2,518,000

From January 2 to date. 2,518,000

Sales period in 1925. 2,518,000

Public Service: City Hall, Courts.

At the Courthouse.

SUES FOR PAYMENT ORDERED BY COURT.

AFTERMATH OF A SENSATIONAL DIVORCE ACTION.

Woman Alleges Fraudulent Conveyance by Husband to His Children to Defeat Her Interest in Community Property and Asks to Have Transaction Set Aside.

Alleging that her husband, John P. Smith, an insurance agent, had not paid her the \$1500 ordered by the court when Mr. Smith's divorce suit was denied, February 11, last, Mrs. Adelaide Smith brought suit yesterday to set aside an alleged fraudulent transaction which consisted in conveying real estate to his son, Archie, and his daughter, Mrs. Mayfield A. Miller.

The conveyance of this property, Mrs. Smith declares, was for the purpose of depriving her of any benefit in it. She also claims it is community property, and she asks the court to declare it the property of her husband and not the property of the son and daughter in a former marriage, and to be applied in satisfaction of the court's order.

The trial of the divorce suit was sensational. Mr. Smith named his son, Archie, co-respondent, and the boy confessed on the stand that he had lied to his stepmother. The latter denied the charge. She now states in her suit of yesterday, which is directed against her husband, Archie, Mrs. Miller and her husband, J. W. Miller, that ever since her marriage to Mr. Smith he had attempted to get a divorce, but never caused it to be accepted, his earnings "so that he could pretend not to have any money in the event that the plaintiff sued him for divorce."

The property alleged to have been conveyed was bought August 8, 1915, and February 27, 1915, and is on Vermont Avenue, and in Monrovia, respectively.

REALIZES ERROR, SOUGHT DEPORTATION.

When Aleck Gonda was brought to a realization that it would be impossible to deport him for his crimes he called in Public Defender Vercos yesterday in order to have his appeal before Judge Craig today.

Gonda is an Austrian and insists that he has lost his father and two brothers in the war. He wants to return to avenge their deaths, and, having been refused passports, hit upon the plan of having himself deported for criminal offenses.

In Long Beach, he cashed a bad check for \$25 on the First National Bank. He gave his name and address in hopes that an officer would be sent to arrest him, but the officers failed to arrive after a week.

Then he went to the Y.M.C.A. in the city and cashed a check for \$15, repeating his instructions. When these failed he went to the Methodist Hospital and stole a microscope, which he sold for \$20. He went to the City Police Station and tried to give himself up, but the officers decided that he was not guilty. A few days later the theft of the microscope was reported and Gonda was found at the address he had given.

He felt elated at being arrested. And then came the sad news that he would not be sent back to his native country. He probably will remain in San Quentin or Folsom. Being a graduate nurse and man of education, he decided that he had made a serious mistake, and will ask for probation when brought up today.

TALE OF A CALF.

WITH VARIATIONS.

Variation was added to the story of the calf that just happened to be at the end of a rope found by Jack Ferdinand and his companion, when the latter appeared before Judge Willis yesterday. According to the latest report it was not a rope that was found but a calf was discovered supinely at rest in the back of the wagon which the young men were driving, when they arrived in Pomona.

It presumably fell into the wagon while the boys were driving past a high embankment near the George Junior Republic Home, not far from Chino. Ferdinand, admitted having seen a number of cows and calves along the side of the cut, he said.

Judge Willis would not hearken to any of the strange excuses given by Ferdinand, who is on a ten-year probation, which was granted in 1913, after he had pleaded guilty to another charge of grand larceny. The judge reserved his decision in the case until tomorrow.

HE DESERTED.

WIFE WINS DECREE.

Finding that William D. Andrew did desert Pearl J. Andrew, but that the evidence was not sufficient to show that Mrs. Andrew was guilty of misconduct with a man named Hall, Judge Smith yesterday gave her the decree and the custody of the two children.

Mr. Andrew contested the suit. Among other grievances he alleged was that he was compelled to wash the dishes, cook his supper and mend clothes while his wife was out enjoying herself. There was some evidence that he was not in the company of Hall. In fact, the court was told that she had left the courthouse with him during the trial, but the court held the evidence on this count was not strong enough.

HUSBAND LOST.

AKS FOR TRUSTEE.

Uncertainty was cast on the fate of James Manly Bacon, who disappeared from this city October 22, 1915, caused his wife, Mrs. Katharine E. Bacon, to apply to the Probate Court yesterday for the appointment of trustee of the estate. The petition briefly states that Mr. Bacon disappeared and has since remained unknown to Mrs. Bacon.

Mr. Bacon was a stockholder of the Commonwealth Home Builders and the Pyramid Investment Company. He owned some real estate and various notes. The estate is less than \$5000. The family consists of the wife and Marjorie, Gertrude and Francis Bacon and Mrs. Mary J. Bacon, his mother.

PROCEDURE.

NEW RULE ADOPTED.

A new rule of procedure will become effective with reference to the verification of complaints, following a decision of the Supreme Court, received yesterday. It is that one, other than the party to the action, who generally knows the facts alleged in the pleading, can verify a complaint.

Judge York, who held in a case before him that a complaint had been properly verified by R. W. Kinsey, who had assigned certain claims to a collection agency, was reversed by

the Appellate Court, and the question was taken to the Supreme Court on appeal by former Judge Gray. Section 446 of the Code of Civil Procedure holds that an officer of a corporation or its attorney may verify a complaint, but the affidavit is required to state that the matter in the pleading is true, "so far as the officer's knowledge goes." Officers of corporations, it appears, often did not have personal knowledge of the facts alleged to be true.

The attorney for the defendant in the case before Judge York did not verify the answer. He claimed there had been no verification of the complaint. Judge York gave judgment on the pleadings, giving the defendant's attorney chance to verify the complaint.

IN AND OUT.

ABOUT THE COURTS.

DAMAGES AWARDED. Frederick Schulhoff, a 13-year-old school boy, was awarded \$200 damages by Judge Wellborn yesterday for injuries he sustained when knocked down by the automobile of Dr. Kenneth P. Barber at Eighth and Olive streets, last May. The boy and a school girl companion were both struck when the girl escaped injury.

The boy testified that the doctor cut the corner, and alleged negligence. Dr. Barber said he was forced to swerve to avoid another machine. The court held that Frederick was entitled to damages.

INCORPORATIONS. The Super Club; incorporators, Caleb S. Bragg, George Edwin Bergstrom and Jessie L. Lankey; Nixon Motor Car Company; incorporators, J. C. Nixon and W. A. Montgomery; and G. R. Dexter; capital stock, \$15,000; subscriber, \$200; Chauncey G. Hale Company; incorporators, Chauncey G. Hale, Hugh J. McGuire and Miles H. McGuire; H. G. Pangborn Company; incorporators, H. G. Pangborn, A. M. Pangborn and E. J. Nolan; capital stock, \$15,000; subscriber, \$3.

At the City Hall.

CITY TREASURER ON BOND FORECLOSURES.

BROKERS ACCUSED OF MAKING FALSE STATEMENTS.

Council Receives Report on Its Request for Suggestions as to Means for Preventing Imposition upon Owners of Property Liable to Foreclosure.

The delinquency notices sent to property owners by local bond brokers who threaten to foreclose on improvement bonds carry incorrect and misleading statements, according to City Treasurer Powell, who filed with the Council yesterday a report on the advisability of adopting some of the recommendations made by C. A. Mai in a recent letter to the Council.

Mr. Mai complained generally of what he termed "sharp practices" on the part of local brokerage firms in handling the foreclosing of improvement bonds. His special complaint was that the delinquency notices say that if no redemption is made within one year of the date of sale the property "passes into absolute ownership of the purchaser at the foreclosure sale." This statement in particular is branded as "utterly inaccurate and misleading."

Mr. Powell, referring to charges that certain brokers add incubums to the property which amount to confiscation, says that the brokers are fully within the rights defined by the State laws and the city has no jurisdiction in the matter. He has been unable to find any record of the broker's office, however, to mail notices to each property owner telling of the application of the bond holder for foreclosure.

The City Treasurer calls attention to the fact that 4%, 5 and 6 per cent municipal bonds find ready market, and he suggests that the Council should fix a rate of not to exceed 6 per cent on the street bonds. This, he says, is within the power of the Council.

In suggesting that arrangements be made whereby better service may be given the public, Treasurer Powell says:

"As stated before, it has been the practice of the city to favor and assist property owners in every way possible and we are doing much more than the law contemplates along these lines, but the volume of business has grown to such proportions that our present quarters and clerical force are inadequate to render the service and consideration that I feel the general public is entitled to."

MAPS ARE ORDERED FOR VINEYARD VIADUCT.

After four years of investigation and study, the City Council voted yesterday to direct the City Engineer to prepare a tentative assessment district map for a crossing over the Pacific Electric tracks at Vineyard Station, with a view to the construction of a viaduct to cost about \$17,000. This action was taken after another public hearing before the Committee of the City Council, which voted to oppose a viaduct, for a grade crossing and for and against a subway were submitted at length. The residents of the neighborhood south of the tracks want a crossing of some kind and want it immediately. Some prefer a grade crossing, but a majority are willing to abide by the Council's decision that no grade crossing should be permitted. Residents of the tracks will protest against even the small assessment that will be proposed. The plan for building the viaduct provides that the Pacific Electric Railway shall pay half its cost, the city at large one-fourth, and a large assessment district will pay the remainder—provided there is no majority protest.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR GARBAGE ROUTES.

New regulations relative to the collection of combustible garbage will go in effect April 1, providing for a readjustment of several of the six districts and for the collection of garbage in the first three districts at night. District No. 1 is the congested business district bounded generally by Los Angeles, Hill, Ninth and Alameda streets. In this district collections will be made each night. District No. 2 extends from the Los Angeles River to Main street, from Macy street to Adams street, the west half being bounded on the north by Pico street. Collections in this district will be on Friday, Saturday and Sunday nights. District No. 3 is bounded by Pico, Hill, First and Hoover streets, and collections will be made on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday nights.

On the Carpet.

NEGRO OFFICER MAY LOSE JOB.

STRIKES ATTORNEY VIOLENTLY IN HIS FACE.

Explains He Thought Man was a "Trusty"—Must Appear Before Police Commission to Explain Alleged Brutality and Show Why He Should not be Discharged.

In meeting Deighton McD. Jones, a negro policeman, L. V. Shofer, an attorney, was mistaken for a "trusty" in the City Jail, according to a report filed with Chief Snively yesterday, and was struck in the face. When Attorney Shofer explained who he was, Policeman Jones said he was sorry, the complaint recited.

Attorney Shofer is the son of A. C. Shofer, former Councilman and member of the Board of Education, and a member of the Board of Fire Commissioners. He attempted to serve Policeman Jones with notice of trial for a bill owing the Pacific Railway Advertising Company, for which suit was being brought. After trying to reach the policeman in his home at 1815 West Pico street, Attorney Shofer decided to come to the Police Station to serve the man while he was on duty.

In his report Attorney Shofer said: "I asked the policeman if his name was Jones, and he turned around and struck me violently in the face. I struck out and came white-faced. After striking me, and when I had made service upon him, he said, 'I thought you were a trusty.'"

Policeman Jones was in uniform when the alleged assault was made. Chief Snively, at once, arranged for Japanese boy Playing in Street Run Over by Bus.

The twelfth little boy of the Japanese colony to be run over by a heavy truck was taken to the Reception Hospital yesterday. He was Shiro Yamashita, 4-year-old son of K. Yamashita, No. 426 Turner street.

Within a few minutes after entering the hospital the child died. He had been run over by the heavy bus of the Rossmore Hotel, which was parked in front of his home. His body was crushed and his skull fractured. He did not recover consciousness.

The case is the twelfth within the past year in which little boys in the Japanese colony have been run over by heavy trucks. The boy was Shiro Yamashita, 4-year-old son of K. Yamashita, No. 426 Turner street.

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